

April 15, 2021  
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Permit No. QC 1361

**PERMIT FOR THE RE-ENTRY OF CALIFORNIA SOURCED CITRUS  
FRUIT FROM IOWA**

Under authority of Section 3154 (Director May Issue Special Permits), Title 3, California Code of Regulations (CCR), permission is granted to:

PurFoods, LLC (Dba Mom's Meals)  
3210 SE Corporate Woods Drive  
Ankeny, Iowa 50021

to ship into California packed citrus fruit grown or packed in California that would otherwise be prohibited by CCR Section 3250, Citrus Pests State Exterior Quarantine, under the following conditions:

1. Only citrus fruit grown and packed in the state of California under compliance with state and federal regulations for Asian citrus psyllid (ACP) and Huanglongbing disease (HLB) is authorized under this permit.
2. All citrus products must be shipped directly from the California packing houses to the approved facilities at PurFoods in Ankeny, Iowa which have been inspected and certified by the Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship (IDALS).
3. All citrus must be stored in the approved facility and safeguarded to prevent infestation of insects or disease or decomposing of products.
4. IDALS shall only approve storage coolers if all of the citrus within it is eligible for shipment to California and IDALS shall conduct an inspection program for detection of serious plant pests in coolers.
5. PurFoods shall not receive, store or process any citrus fruit that has not originated from California packing houses
6. PurFoods must be able to track by address each shipment, in case the need for inspection of a specific shipment arises.
7. Each shipment of citrus fruit shall be accompanied by a certificate issued by a representative of IDALS attesting that the shipment meets all the requirements of this



compliance agreement and listed on the certificate is the following statement “meets the requirements of Permit No. QC 1361”.

8. All shipments are subject to inspection upon arrival in California.

Violation of, or inability to meet, any of the conditions of this permit or the detection of any live serious plant pest in a shipment authorized under this permit, shall be sufficient cause for the immediate revocation of the permit and destruction of the plant material or return of the plant material to origin at the expense of the shipper.

Unless earlier revoked, this permit is valid through April 30, 2022.

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### **2021 California Compliance Agreement (Citrus Fruit)**

PurFoods, LLC in Polk County, Iowa, is entering into a compliance agreement with the Iowa Department of Agriculture to facilitate the re-export of Citrus Fruit (oranges) with only California packing house origins, back into the State of California. This compliance agreement is limited to the scope of the following commodities and restrictions.

Permit for Entry into California of Citrus Fruit, sourced only from California packing houses.

**Under the authority of Section 3154 (Secretary may issue special permits) of title 3, California Code of Regulations, permission is hereby granted to the Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship (IDALS), to authorize firms to ship Citrus which was grown or repacked in California and otherwise would be prohibited entry into California Under the Requirements of Section 3250, under the following conditions;**

PurFoods, LLC (Dba Mom's Meals)  
3210 SE Corporate Woods Drive  
Ankeny Iowa 50021

**To ship grown and/or packed citrus fruit into California, Under the following conditions;**

1. Only Citrus fruit grown and/or packed in the state of California,
2. All citrus products must be shipped directly from the California packing houses to the approved facilities at PurFoods facilities in Ankeny Iowa which have been inspected and certified by the Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship (IDALS)
3. All citrus must be stored in the said approved storage facilities and safeguarded to prevent infestation of insects or disease or decomposing of products.
4. IDALS shall only approve storage coolers if all of the citrus within it, is eligible for shipment to California (dedicated coolers) and IDALS shall conduct inspection program for detection of serious plant pests in coolers.
5. Pur Foods shall not receive, store or process any citrus fruit that has not originated from California packing houses.
6. Each shipment repacked must also be packed in a designated area.
7. PurFoods must be able to track by address each shipment, for if a need arises they will be able to locate a shipment for inspection. This system must also be available for Iowa Department or California authorities for permit review or trace forwards.
8. Each shipment of citrus fruit shall be accompanied by a certificate, or distinguishing mark, issued by a representative of IDALS attesting that the shipment meets all the requirements of this compliance agreement and listed on the certificate is the following statement "meets the Requirements of Permit No. QC 1361"
9. The Certificate shall provide the name and address of the shipper and consignee.

10. All shipments shall ;

- a. Be contained in a sealed cooler with appropriate conditions to prevent infestations, and degradation of products being transported
- b. All the proper label requirements for shipping Agricultural commodities, especially for the State Exterior Quarantine; 3250 Citrus pests.
- c. Must have proper documentation accessible to all logistics parties and California officials needing to review the paperwork and inspect the commodities

11. All Shipments shall be subject to inspection upon arrival in California

**The detection of serious plant pest, or violation of any of the conditions of this permit, shall be sufficient cause of immediate revocation of this permit and destruction of the shipped citrus fruit, or return of the citrus fruit to origin at the expense of the permittee.**

**This Permit Expires:** April 12, 2022

**Compliance Agreement:** CA1005-2021

**In conjunction with California Department of Food and Agriculture;**

**Permit No.** QC 1361

PurFoods (Dba Mom's Meals)

Logistics Manager



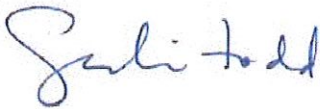
Date: 15 April 2021

Sadie Todd

Iowa Department of Agriculture

& Land Stewardship

Entomologist



Date: 12 April 2021



IOWA DEPARTMENT OF  
**AGRICULTURE &  
LAND STEWARDSHIP**

California Origin Citrus Fruit  
PurFoods, LLC (Dba Mom's Meals)  
Under Authority of CDFA Permit No. QC 1361  
Meets CCR 3250 and FAC 6421

*Sarah Todd*

Expires 4/12/2022